### **CHAPTER NO. 132**

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 3341**

# By Representative Ferguson

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 3328

### By Senator Davis

AN ACT to amend Chapter 328 of the Acts of 1903; as rewritten and amended by Chapter 298 of the Private Acts of 1972 and as amended by Chapter 80 of the Private Acts of 1987; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the selection of a vice-mayor in the event of a permanent vacancy.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Article IV, Section 4.03 of Chapter 328 of the Acts of 1903, as rewritten and amended by Chapter 298 of the Private Acts of 1972 and as amended by Chapter 80 of the Private Acts of 1987, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by adding the following language at the end of the section:

In the case of a permanent vacancy in the office of Vice Mayor, the Council shall elect as Vice Mayor that member of the Council, remaining on the Council, who received the greatest number of votes at the city election held prior to the immediately preceding city general election.

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Legislative Body of the City of Kingston. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the Legislative Body and certified to the Secretary of State.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.

PASSED: May 25, 2000

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES PRIVATE ACTS, 2000

APPROVED this 31st day of May 2000

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